

# **CARRIER PHASE ESTIMATION BASED ON SINGLE-AXIS CONSTANT MODULUS COST CRITERION AND BUSSGANG CRITERIA**

## **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

5 Carrier phase recovery employs a single-axis blind cost criterion from the Bussgang class  
of functions, and its stochastic gradient, to generate a carrier phase error used to adjust a  
received and demodulated signal to near baseband. For one implementation, the estimate is  
derived in accordance with a Single-Axis Constant Modulus (SA-CM) criterion and its  
stochastic gradient via a SA-CM algorithm (SA-CMA). The carrier phase error is then used to  
10 adjust the carrier frequency and phase of the received and demodulated signal toward the  
frequency and phase of the carrier used to modulate the transmitted symbols, driving the carrier  
phase error to zero. The values used for the phase recovery may be either i) an IIR filtered  
signal, ii) a processed signal (e.g., decisions for the signal symbols), or iii) an equalized and  
processed signal.

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